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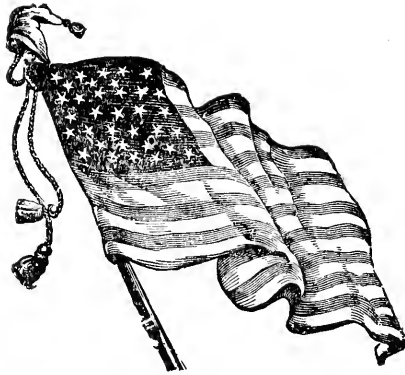


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A TRIBUTE
IN HONOR OF OUR
COMRADES FIGHTING
IN THE
ARMED FORCES
OF THE
UNITED STATES
WHO HAVE ANSWERED
THE CALL TO THE COLORS

Town Officers

Selectmen

LEROY M. LAKE Term Expires 1945
GEORGE P. NYE Term Expires 1946
JOHN W. STEVENS Term Expires 1947

Town Clerk

HELEN R. PIKE

Treasurer

E. CHRISTINE SWASEY

Moderator

JOHN H. DUDLEY

Tax Collector

NORMAN B. SMITH

Auditor

JOHN J. MAGNUSSON

Highway Agent

ERNEST F. SANBORN

Supervisors of Checklist

DORA E. SCOTT, Resigned MARGERY GRAVES
STANLEY SMALL LESTER SAVAGE

Trustees of Trust Funds

FREEMAN M. SMITH Term Expires 1945
JOHN W. STEVENS Term Expires 1946
JOHN F. SWASEY Term Expires 1947

BRENTWOOD TOWN REPORT**Representative To General Court****MARGERY GRAVES****Library Trustees****MYRTLE YEANEY****MIRIAM DODGE****RUTH SMITH, Librarian****Dog Constable****MABEL KNIGHT****Health Officer****WILLIAM S. BARTLETT**

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Brentwood in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Brentwood on Tuesday, the Thirteenth day of March, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to apply for Town Road Aid and appropriate \$272.55. State will contribute \$1,090.18.
4. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to convert the so-called North Road School into a garage and tool shed for Town equipment and appropriate \$600.00 for same.
5. To see if the Town wishes to legalize faulty tax-sales and deeds and appropriate money for same.
6. To see if the Town will vote to elect a committee of five to act as the Brentwood Post War Planning Committee and appropriate \$50.00 for use of said Committee for expenses.

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7. To see if the Town will vote to install a culvert opposite the residence of Mary O. Delzell and appropriate money for same.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400.00 for Blister Rust control.

9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to cover overdrafts of the Highway Dept.

10. To see if the Town will vote to increase the Town Clerk's salary to \$100.00 and appropriate money for same.

11. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

12. To see if the Town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international co-operation, such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow \$7,000.00 in anticipation of Taxes.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-five.

LEROY M. LAKE,
GEORGE P. NYE,
JOHN W. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Brentwood.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LEROY M. LAKE,
GEORGE P. NYE,
JOHN W. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Brentwood.

Budget of the Town of Brentwood, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945 compared with actual revenue and expenditures of the previous year February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

| | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1944 | Estimated Revenue Ensuig Year 1945 | Decrease |
|--|--|---|-----------|
| From State: | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | 437.41 | 437.41 | |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 4.50 | 4.50 | |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | | |
| Pistol Permits | 1.00 | 1.00 | |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 5.09 | 5.09 | |
| Refunds | 7.44 | | 7.44 |
| Filing Fees | 12.00 | 12.00 | |
| Forest Fires | 164.50 | | 164.50 |
| Dog Licenses | 143.64 | 143.64 | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 478.74 | 400.00 | 78.74 |
| Sale of Town Property Acquired by Tax Deeds | 100.00 | | 100.00 |
| Amount of Taxes | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | |
| †Cash Surplus | 431.12 | 30.52 | 400.60 |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Prop- erty Taxes: | | | |
| (a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2 | 512.00 | 512.00 | |
| (b) National Bank Stock Taxes | 36.00 | 36.00 | |
| Total Revenues From All Sources | | | |
| Except Property Taxes | \$7,333.44 | \$6,582.16 | \$ 751.28 |
| *Amount To Be Raised By Property Taxes | \$14,319.07 | | |

*Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

†Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i. e., Balance of Appropriation due School District, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes and Accounts Payable.

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PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

| | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1944 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1945 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|---|---|----------|----------|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | 650.50 | 525.50 | | \$125.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses.... | 327.90 | 400.00 | 72.10 | |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 6.86 | 6.86 | | |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. | 23.00 | 23.00 | | |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Fire Department | 509.24 | 509.24 | | |
| Health: | | | | |
| Health Department, in- cluding hospitals | 6.30 | 6.30 | | |
| Vital Statistics | 21.20 | 21.20 | | |
| Records | 12.20 | 12.20 | | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town Maintenance: | | | | |
| Summer | 1,565.63 | 2,000.00 | 435.37 | |
| Winter | 569.58 | 1,250.00 | 681.42 | |
| General Expenses of High- way Department | 48.69 | 48.69 | | |
| Town Road Aid | 137.73 | 137.73 | | |
| Tar Road, Main | 3,406.01 | 3,000.00 | | 406.01 |
| Bridges | 20.80 | 200.00 | 179.20 | |
| Libraries: | | | | |
| Libraries | 75.00 | 75.00 | | |
| Public Welfare: | | | | |
| Town Poor | 95.00 | 400.00 | 305.00 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 321.55 | 350.00 | 28.45 | |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day and Other Celebrations | 49.93 | 49.93 | | |
| Aid to Soldiers and Their Families | 84.85 | | | 84.85 |
| Interest: | | | | |
| On Temporary Loans | 78.05 | 88.05 | 10.00 | |

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Outlay for New Construction
and Perm. Improve.

Highways and Bridges:

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|--|--|--------|
| Town Construction | 300.00 | | | 300.00 |
|-------------------------|--------|--|--|--------|

Payment on Principal of
Debt:

| | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| (b) Short Term Notes | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|--|--|

Payments to Other Govern-

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--|--|
| mental Divisions: | 780.00 | 780.00 | | |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--|--|

| | | | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| County Taxes | 1,440.22 | 1,440.22 | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|--|--|

Payments to School Dist-

| | | | | |
|-------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| riets | 6,712.83 | 6,712.83 | | |
|-------------|----------|----------|--|--|

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|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| Total Expenditures | \$22,248.07 | \$23,041.75 | \$1,711.54 | \$915.55 |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|

Summary of Inventory

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Land and Buildings | \$367,580.00 |
| Growing Wood and Timber | 15,000.00 |
| Electric Lines | 31,500.00 |
| 38 Horses | 3,890.00 |
| 6 Oxen | 700.00 |
| 189 Cows | 16,750.00 |
| 29 Neat Stock | 1,450.00 |
| 50 Sheep | 275.00 |
| 50 Hogs | 1,000.00 |
| 11,420 Fowl | 11,420.00 |
| 1 Portable Mill | 1,000.00 |
| 3 Vehicles | 500.00 |
| Sawed Lumber | 10,600.00 |
| Stock in Trade | 1,300.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | 2,800.00 |
| Amount Exempt to Soldiers | 17,900.00 |
| Amount Exempt to Blind | 700.00 |

Amount of Taxes and Rate

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Average Rate of Taxation | \$ 3.20 |
| Property Taxes | 14,319.04 |
| Regular Poll Taxes | 526.00 |
| Special Poll Taxes | 837.00 |
| Bank Stock | 36.00 |
| Added Poll Taxes | 75.00 |
| Interest Collected | 5.09 |

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

| | Appropri- ations | Expend- itures | Balance | Over draft |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|---------|---------------|
| Town officers' salaries | \$ 619.00 | \$ 650.50 | | \$ 31.50 |
| Town officers' expenses | 300.00 | 327.90 | | 27.90 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 5.00 | 6.86 | | 1.86 |
| Town Hall Expenses | 60.00 | 23.00 | 37.00 | |
| Police Department | 5.00 | | 5.00 | |
| Fire Department | 450.00 | 509.24 | | 59.24 |
| Health Department | 5.00 | 6.30 | | 1.30 |
| Vital Statistics | 20.00 | 21.20 | | 1.20 |
| Town Road Aid | 136.09 | 137.73 | | 1.64 |
| Town Maintenance | 4,000.00 | 5,362.02 | | 1,362.02 |
| Town Construction | 300.00 | 300.00 | | |
| General Expenses Highway Department | 75.00 | 48.69 | 26.31 | |
| New Equipment | 50.00 | | 50.00 | |
| Libraries | 75.00 | 75.00 | | |
| Old Age Assistance | 350.00 | 321.55 | 28.45 | |
| Town Poor | 200.00 | 95.00 | 105.00 | |
| Memorial Day | 10.00 | 49.93 | | 39.93 |
| Aid to Soldiers | 275.00 | 84.85 | 190.15 | |
| Recording | 10.00 | 12.20 | | 2.20 |
| Interest | 80.00 | 78.05 | 1.95 | |
| County Tax | 1,445.22 | 1,445.22 | | |
| School Tax | 7,613.73 | 7,613.73 | | |

Statement of Assets

| | | |
|----------------------------|----|--------|
| Cash in hands of Treasurer | \$ | 30.52 |
| Unredeemed Taxes, 1943 | | 44.04 |
| Unredeemed Taxes 1942 | | 12.69 |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1944 | | 400.38 |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1942 | | 5.80 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 493.43 |

Statement of Liabilities

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Fund Truited by H. J. Lawler Est. | \$ | 77.06 |
| Due to School District, Dog Licenses | | 143.64 |
| Due to School District, Bal. of App. | | 1,113.73 |
| Unexpended T. R. A. money | | 66.49 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 1,400.86 |
| Excess of Liabilities over Assets | \$ | 907.43 |

List of Town Property

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Town Hall and Grove | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Library Books and Equipment | 200.00 |
| Tractor and Snow Plow | 1,500.00 |
| 4 School Houses | 3,200.00 |
| 3 Road Graders | 300.00 |
| Fire Truck | 700.00 |
| Helen Sanborn Land | 400.00 |
| Smith Land | 100.00 |
| Robinson Land | 50.00 |
| Wadleigh Land | 30.00 |

Town Clerk's Report
Report of Helen R. Pike, Town Clerk
Feb. 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|----------|--------|
| To filing fees | | \$ | 12.00 |
| To balance of auto taxes 1943-44 | | | .50 |
| To auto taxes 1944 | | | 478.74 |
| Dog Licenses: | | | |
| 1 male 1943 | \$ | 2.00 | |
| 47 males 1944 | | 94.00 | |
| 11 Females 1944 | | 55.00 | |
| 1 Kennel 1944 | | 12.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | | \$163.00 | |
| Less 60 license fees @ .20 | \$12.00 | | |
| Tags and receipts | 7.36 | 19.36 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| Net amount license money | | | 143.64 |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | | \$ | 634.88 |
| Paid E. C. Swasey, Treasurer | | | 634.88 |

I have this day, Feb. 3, 1945, examined the accounts of Helen R. Pike, Town Clerk of Town of Brentwood, and find them correctly cast and with proper vouchers.

JOHN J. MAGNUSSON,
Auditor.

Tax Collector's Report, 1944

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Real Estate on Book | \$ 14,412.04 |
| Polls—258 at \$5.00 | 1,290.00 |
| Polls— 15 at 3.00 | 45.00 |
| Added Polls (15) | 75.00 |
| Added Real Estate | 6.40 |
| Interest Collected | 5.09 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 15,833.53 |
| Amount Paid to Treasurer | \$ 15,378.95 |
| Real Estate Abated | 19.20 |
| Polls Uncollected (7) | 35.00 |
| *Taxes Uncollected | 400.38 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 15,833.53 |
| *Amount Rec'd from Posted Property after books closed Dec. 31, 1944 | \$ 325.53 |
| Amount from Tax Sales Jan. 31, 1945 | 74.85 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 400.38 |
| 1942-1943 Taxes Redeemed \$66.16. | |

I have this day examined the accounts of Norman B Smith, Tax Collector of the Town of Brentwood, and found them correctly cast and with proper vouchers.

JOHN J. MAGNUSSON,
Auditor.

Feb. 13, 1945.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1944

Barbara Brewster, left Town.

Helen Maul, not in Town, April 1st.

Lillian McDonnell, not in Town, April 1st.

Mabel Mortimer, not in Town, April 1st.

John Roach, paid in Exeter.

Freeman Smith, over 70.

Marguerite Martin, left Town.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Cash on hand | \$ 431.12 |
| Received from: | |
| Selectmen | 5,781.34 |
| Norman Smith, Tax Collector | |
| 1942 tax | 42.80 |
| 1943 poll taxes | 10.00 |
| 1944 taxes | 15,378.95 |
| Helen Pike, Town Clerk | |
| Auto taxes | 478.74 |
| Dog licenses | 143.64 |
| Filing fees | 12.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 22,278.59 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Selectmen's Orders | 22,248.07 |
| | <hr/> |
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1945 | \$ 30.52 |

February 3, 1945

I have this day examined the accounts of E. Christine Swasey, Treasurer of the Town of Brentwood, for the year ending December 31, 1944. I find them correctly cast, with proper vouchers and cash balance of \$30.52, thirty dollars and fifty-two cents.

JOHN J. MAGNUSSON,

Auditor.

Selectmen's Report

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Property sold to Lester Savage | \$ 100.00 |
| Rockingham National Bank, Tax Ant. Loan | 5,000.00 |
| State, Fire Refund | 4.50 |
| Individuals, Fire Refunds | 164.50 |
| T. R. A. Refund | 66.49 |
| Pistol Permits | 1.00 |
| State, Int. & Div. Tax | 437.41 |
| Refund, Check Returned | 7.44 |
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| | \$ 5,781.34 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Town Officers Salaries | \$ 650.50 |
| Town Officers Expenses | 327.90 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 6.86 |
| Town Hall Expenses | 23.00 |
| Fire Department | 509.24 |
| Records and Transfers | 12.20 |
| Health Department | 6.30 |
| Vital Statistics | 21.20 |
| Town Road Aid | 137.73 |
| Maintenance Hard Surfaced Roads | 3,406.01 |
| Town Maintenance, Summer | 1,565.63 |
| Town Maintenance, Winter | 569.58 |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | 48.63 |
| Libraries | 75.00 |
| Town Poor | 95.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 321.55 |
| Aid to Soldiers | 84.85 |
| Memorial Day Expenses | 49.93 |
| Bridges | 20.80 |
| Interest | 78.05 |

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Town Road Construction | 300.00 |
| Payment on Tax Loan | 5,000.00 |
| State, \$3.00 Poll Tax | 780.00 |
| County Tax | 1,445.22 |
| School District | 6,712.83 |

Detailed Statement of Payments

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| LeRoy M. Lake, Selectman | \$ 100.00 |
| George P. Nye, Selectman | 75.00 |
| John W. Stevens, Selectman | 50.00 |
| E. Christine Swasey, Treasurer | 50.00 |
| Norman B. Smith, Tax Collector | 100.00 |
| Ruth Smith, Librarian | 50.00 |
| John Dudley, Moderator | 20.00 |
| Helen R. Pike, Town Clerk | 25.00 |
| Dora Scott, Supervisor | 30.00 |
| Lester Savage, Supervisor | 30.00 |
| Margery Graves, Supervisor | 30.00 |
| Stanley Small, Ballot Clerk | 11.50 |
| Albert Averill, Ballot Clerk | 12.00 |
| Russell Thorsell, Ballot Clerk | 12.00 |
| O. Eugene Smith, Ballot Clerk | 12.00 |
| Arthur O'Connor, Ballot Clerk | 8.00 |
| Mabel Knight, Dog Constable | 15.00 |
| John Magnusson, Auditor | 15.00 |
| Freeman Smith, Police Officer | 5.00 |

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

| | |
|--|---------|
| E. C. Eastman Co., Dog Licenses | \$ 7.36 |
| Francis Gray, Bonding Town Officers | 50.00 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., Treasurer's Pads | 1.11 |
| Amesbury Pub. Co., Printing Town Reports | 91.80 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Tax Book | 3.60 |
| Exeter News Letter, Check List | 2.00 |

| | |
|--|-------|
| LeRoy M. Lake, Services as Relief Officer | 20.00 |
| Tax Meeting at Exeter | 5.00 |
| Postage and Telephone | 9.80 |
| John W. Stevens, Tax Meeting at Exeter | 5.00 |
| Postage and Telephone | 3.70 |
| George P. Nye, Tax Meeting at Exeter | 5.00 |
| E. Christine Swasey, Postage, Envelopes | 4.80 |
| Norman B. Smith, Tax Meeting at Exeter and Manchester, Tax Bills, Postage, Posting and Selling Real Estate | 23.43 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Postage and Telephone | 7.50 |
| Helen R. Pike, Auto Permits, Postage, Telephone | 87.80 |

Itemized Expense Accounts

Election and Registration Expenses

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Exeter News Letter, Notices | \$ 1.25 |
| Rowe Printing Co., Printing Ballots | 5.61 |

Town Hall Expenses

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| N. H. Gas and Elec. Co., lights | \$ 8.00 |
| Delbert Greenleaf, janitor | 15.00 |

Fire Department

| | |
|---|----------|
| Kingston Fire Dept., Lake and Thorsell Fires | \$ 50.00 |
| Fire Warden, Pettis, Guimond, Quimby Fires | 51.60 |
| Epping Fire Dept., Smith Fire | 11.00 |
| Kingston Fire Dept., Smith, Quimby, Pettis' Fires | 100.00 |
| Exeter Fire Dept., Sampson, Quimby Fires | 24.55 |
| Leslie Dorr, Smith Fire | 3.00 |
| Howard Page, Smith Fire | 3.00 |
| Donald Brackett, Smith Fire | 1.80 |
| Ronald Carlson, Smith Fire | 1.20 |
| Brent. Fire Dept., Quimby Fire | 25.00 |
| George B. Stevens, Insurance, Fire Truck | 28.00 |
| State of N. H., New Equipment | 21.44 |

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|---|--------|
| Fire Warden, McKenna Fire | 9.60 |
| Epping Fire Dept., Adams Fire | 34.80 |
| Fire Warden, Churchland Fire | 16.90 |
| Exeter Fire Dept., Treadwell Fire | 4.70 |
| Exeter Fire Dept., Thorsell, Lake, Brockton Fires | 105.00 |
| Fire Warden, Treadwell Fire | 17.65 |

Records and Transfers

| | |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| John W. A. Green, Recording | \$ 12.20 |
|-----------------------------|----------|

Health Department

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Wm. S. Bartlett, Services | \$ 6.30 |
|---------------------------|---------|

Vital Statistics

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| Frank Nay, Recording | \$.20 |
| Dr. Gilbert, Recording | 21.00 |

Town Road Aid

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| State of N. H. | \$ 137.73 |
|----------------|-----------|

General Expenses of Highway Dept.

| | |
|--|----------|
| Ray Pike, Tractor Insurance | \$ 11.50 |
| W. A. Young, Shovels, Brooms | 7.40 |
| O. Eugene Smith, Repairs on Road Machine | 8.25 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Repairs on Road Machine | 16.93 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Hoes, Rakes | 3.15 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., Pay Roll Sheets | 1.47 |

Libraries

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Ruth Smith, Appropriation | \$ 75.00 |
|---------------------------|----------|

Town Poor

| | |
|---|----------|
| Thomas Brewitt, Funeral Expenses of Granville Monroe | \$ 95.00 |
|---|----------|

Old Age Assistance

| | |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Paid, State of N. H. | \$ 321.55 |
|----------------------|-----------|

Soldiers Aid

| | | |
|------------------------------|----|-------|
| H. J. Lawler Est., Groceries | \$ | 84.85 |
|------------------------------|----|-------|

Memorial Day

| | | |
|---------------------------|----|-------|
| Ernest Sanborn, Flags | \$ | 12.50 |
| Exeter Lumber Co., Lumber | | 11.88 |
| Fred Bernier, Honor Roll | | 25.00 |
| W. A. Young, Bolts | | .55 |

Bridges

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|-------|
| Highway Agent, Pay Roll | \$ | 20.80 |
|-------------------------|----|-------|

Interest

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|-------|
| Rockingham Bank, Interest on Note | \$ | 78.05 |
|-----------------------------------|----|-------|

Town Road Construction

| | | |
|--------------------------|----|--------|
| Highway Agent, Pay Rolls | \$ | 300.00 |
|--------------------------|----|--------|

Payment on Loans

| | | |
|--------------------------|----|----------|
| Rockingham National Bank | \$ | 5,000.00 |
|--------------------------|----|----------|

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|----------|
| State of N. H., \$3.00 Poll Tax | \$ | 780.00 |
| Earle Stockbridge, County Tax | | 1,445.22 |
| George P. Nye, School Monies | | 6,712.83 |

Tar Road Maintenance

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Boston & Maine R. R., Freight | \$ | 41.90 |
| American Tar Co., Tar Patch | | 350.31 |
| Thomas Watkins, labor | | 246.87 |
| Rockingham Co. Farms, sand | | 10.00 |
| Collector Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax | | 28.10 |
| H. H. Maguire Co., Oil | | 396.53 |
| O. F. Winslow Co., Tar Patch | | 643.75 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Pay Rolls | | 1,688.55 |
| | \$ | 3,406.01 |

Town Road Maintenance

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| O. Eugene Smith, Repairs on Road Machine | \$ | 4.90 |
| Thomas Watkins, labor | | 440.63 |
| Collector of Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax | | 25.70 |
| Warren Tucker, Posts | | 12.00 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Lumber | | 9.10 |
| Ernest Sanborn, Pay Rolls | | 1,073.30 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 1,565.63 |

Winter Maintenance

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------|
| John Hallinan, Sanding Roads | \$ | 11.20 |
| Clyde Hanshaw, Sanding Roads | | 1.80 |
| Clarence Sultaire, Sanding Roads | | 3.00 |
| Eugene Duffy, Sanding Roads | | 2.40 |
| Conrad Marcotte, Plowing Roads | | 284.45 |
| L. G. James, Sand | | 2.60 |
| State of N. H., Plowing Roads | | 123.40 |
| Adelard Gagnon, Housing Tractor | | 27.00 |
| W. A. Young, Bolts | | 1.73 |
| Auto Electric Co., Grease | | 14.75 |
| Ernest Sanborn, labor | | 21.30 |
| Don Chase, Oil, Alcohol | | 9.00 |
| John Kimball, Glass, Bolts | | 1.10 |
| L. G. James, Gasoline | | 4.20 |
| Corson's Garage, labor | | 14.00 |
| Rock Co. Farm, Gasoline | | 8.85 |
| George O. Sanborn, Driving Plow | | 25.00 |
| Ray Pike, Insurance | | 13.80 |

Highway Agent's Report

Town Road Maintenance

| | |
|---|-------------|
| John J. Hallinan, with Truck | \$ 307.70 |
| Ernest F. Sanborn, foreman, labor | 174.60 |
| Theodore Magnusson, with Truck | 173.90 |
| O. Eugene Smith, labor | 73.00 |
| Lloyd K. Snell, labor | 33.20 |
| Charles Robinson, labor | 25.60 |
| Clyde Hanshaw, labor | 13.30 |
| Joseph Garside, labor | 13.30 |
| Clarence S. Quinn, labor | 35.80 |
| Albert Averill, labor | 14.40 |
| Leslie Dorr, labor | 13.30 |
| Eugene Duffey, labor | 44.70 |
| Eli Bouchard, labor | 34.60 |
| Alfred Bouchard, labor | 39.90 |
| Paul Bouchard, labor | 16.80 |
| Neil Burgess, labor | 33.60 |
| M. Leonard Furey, labor | 15.70 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,063.40 |
| Rockingham County Farm, 900 yds. gravel @ | |
| .10 yd. | \$ 90.00 |
| C. A. Giramaire, 28 yds. gravel @ .10 yd. | 2.80 |
| Warren Tucker for 20 Cedar Posts @ .60 | 12.00 |
| Ernest F. Sanborn, for 2x6 hemlock railings | |
| and spikes | 9.10 |
| T. W. Watkins & Son, with grader on roads | 190.63 |
| T. W. Watkins & Son, with road equipment | 200.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,567.93 |

Snow Bill and Repairs on Tractor

From March 15 to Dec. 30, '44

| | | |
|---|----|--------|
| Paid Conrad Marcotte, for plowing snow | \$ | 52.80 |
| George O. Sanborn, for plowing with tractor | | 25.00 |
| Ernest F. Sanborn, for labor on Tractor | | 21.30 |
| Auto Electric Co., for 100 lbs. grease | | 14.75 |
| L. G. James, for gasoline | | 4.20 |
| Rockingham County Farm, for gasoline | | 8.85 |
| Corson's Garage, for Tractor Generator | | 8.50 |
| Corson's Garage, for 5 gals. of No. 10 cylinder oil | | 5.50 |
| Donald Chase, for 7 gals. of Antifreeze | | 6.00 |
| Donald Chase, for 3 gals. of No. 10 cylinder oil | | 3.00 |
| W. A. Young, for bolts, etc., for Tractor | | 1.28 |
| John Kimball, for bolts and glass for Tractor | | 1.10 |
| | \$ | 152.28 |

Bridge Repairs

| | | |
|--------------------------|----|-------|
| Ernest F. Sanborn, labor | \$ | 11.20 |
| Joseph Garside, labor | | 4.80 |
| Lester Corliss, labor | | 4.80 |
| | \$ | 20.80 |

Material for Tar Roads

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| American Tar Co., 40 bbls. of tar | \$ | 392.21 |
| H. H. McGuire & Co., 3063 gals. of tar | | 396.53 |
| O. F. Winslow & Co., 140 tons of tar patch | | 700.00 |
| Conrad Marcotte, for trucking tar patch | | 148.35 |
| T. W. Watkins & Son, with Road equipment | | 246.87 |
| Rockingham County Farm, gravel and sand | | 13.40 |
| Mrs. Grace Bartlett, gravel | | 1.60 |
| Congregational Society, sand | | 4.00 |
| | \$ | 1,902.96 |

Special Appropriation for Scrabble Road

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| Paid T. W. Watkins & Son, for labor with equipment | \$ | 300.00 |
|--|----|--------|

Labor on Tar Roads

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Ernest F. Sanborn, foreman, labor | \$ 223.80 |
| John J. Hallinan, with Truck | 401.90 |
| Theodore S. Magnusson, with Truck | 93.90 |
| O. Eugene Smith, labor | 148.00 |
| Lloyd K. Snell, labor | 148.40 |
| M. Leonard Furey, labor | 32.90 |
| Clarence S. Quinn, labor | 12.00 |
| Albert Averill, labor | 33.40 |
| Eli Bouchard, labor | 47.80 |
| Frank Rondeau, labor | 14.20 |
| Charles Robinson, labor | 122.30 |
| Eugene Duffey, labor | 19.20 |
| Joseph Garside, labor | 46.70 |
| Lester Corliss, labor | 47.90 |
| Fred Adams, labor | 21.50 |
| James Dorr, labor | 9.60 |
| Leslie Dorr, labor | 4.80 |
| Clyde Hanshaw, labor | 32.50 |
| Gordon Prescott, labor | 11.00 |
| H. S. Twitchell, labor | 7.20 |
| John W. Stevens, labor | 2.40 |
| Herbert H. Gove, labor with truck | 9.60 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,491.00 |

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS, BRENTWOOD, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1944

| DATE OF CREATION | PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | Amt. of Prin. | Rate of Interest | Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year | Income During Yr. | Expended During Yr. | Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr. |
|---------------------|--|---|---------------|------------------|---|----------------------|------------------------|---|
| 1895 | Shepard Fund, David M. Collins, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | \$200.00 | 2 | \$ 1.58 | \$4.04 | \$5.50 | \$.12 |
| 1911 | Emily A. Robinson Fund, Emily A. Robinson, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 4.09 | 2.09 | 2.00 | 4.18 |
| 1915 | Hook Fund, John and Margaret Hook, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 5.89 | 2.11 | 2.00 | 6.00 |
| 1917 | Martha J. Dudley Fund, Martha J. Dudley, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 4.12 | 2.09 | 1.50 | 4.71 |
| 1917 | Mary Ann Jewell Fund, Mary Ann Jewell, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 2.36 | 2.05 | 3.00 | 1.41 |
| 1918 | Mary O. Smith Fund, Mary O. Smith, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 | .24 | 4.02 | 4.00 | .26 |
| 1920 | William T. Bean Fund, Maria Carr, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 2.69 | 2.05 | 2.50 | 2.24 |
| 1922 | Celia Dame Hoole Fund, Celia Dame Hoole, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 300.00 | 2 1/2 | 24.84 | 7.34 | 7.86 | 24.32 |

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

| DATE OF CREATION | PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | Amt. of Prin. | Rate of Interest | Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year | Income During Yr. | Expended During Yr. | Bal. Income On Hand End of Yr. |
|---------------------|--|--|---------------|------------------|---|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1922 | Justus J. Bean Fund, Justus J. Bean, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 10.22 | 2.49 | 2.50 | 10.21 |
| 1923 | No. Road Fund, Albert T. Kimball, Mrs. Rinda Dudley, Warren M. Thying, Mrs. Thomas George, Charles O. Swain, donors | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 225.00 | 2½ | 1.83 | 5.13 | 6.00 | .96 |
| 1924 | Sylvester O. Pevear Fund, Sylvester O. Pevear, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 7.26 | 2.42 | .50 | 9.18 |
| 1924 | Isabell G. Fuller Fund, Isabell Fuller, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 6.58 | 2.40 | 2.00 | 6.98 |
| 1924 | Herman W. Veazey Fund, Olive Bunch donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 3.70 | 2.33 | 3.50 | 2.53 |
| 1925 | Everett A. Morse Fund, Heirs of Everett A. Morse, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 6.37 | 2.40 | 2.50 | 6.27 |
| 1926 | Albert H. Caverly Fund, Albert H. Caver- ly, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | .50 | 2.27 | 2.77 | |

| | | | | | | | | |
|------|---|--|--------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|
| 1926 | Warren D. Robinson Fund, Heirs of Warren D. Robinson, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 4.29 | 3.35 | 3.00 | 3.64 |
| 1927 | Charles E. Robinson Fund, Charles E. Robinson, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 75.00 | 2 1/2 | 3.79 | 1.77 | 2.00 | 3.56 |
| 1928 | William Morrill Fund, William Morrill, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 1/2 | 6.92 | 4.68 | 6.36 | 5.24 |
| 1928 | Byron Prescott Fund, Hannah D. Prescott, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 3.02 | 2.33 | 3.50 | 1.85 |
| 1928 | Mary Ann Morrill Fund, Marietta Morrill, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 4.64 | 2.35 | 1.00 | 5.99 |
| 1928 | Samuel Morrill Fund, Marietta Morrill, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 7.94 | 2.43 | 2.50 | 7.87 |
| 1928 | Katherine O. Gifford Fund, Katherine O. Gifford, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 2.64 | 2.31 | 4.00 | .95 |
| 1929 | William and Lydia Morrill Fund, Marietta Morrill, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 6.83 | 2.41 | 2.00 | 7.24 |
| 1929 | Charles O. Swain Fund, Charlotte Swain, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 5.67 | 2.11 | 2.00 | 5.78 |
| 1930 | William L. Graves Fund, Mrs. William L. Graves, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 1/2 | 10.21 | 4.76 | 9.36 | 5.61 |
| 1930 | Samuel S. Dudley Fund, Frances W. Ayer, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 1/2 | 29.88 | 5.18 | | 35.06 |
| 1930 | Nellie Pevear Fund, Nellie Pevear, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 9.87 | 2.47 | | 12.34 |

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

| DATE OF CREATION | PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | Amt. of Prin. | Rate of Interest | Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year | Income During Yr. | Expended During Yr. | Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr. |
|---------------------|---|---|---------------|------------------|---|----------------------|------------------------|---|
| 1930 | Israel Tuck Fund, John H. Carr and Mar- ion M. Bagley, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 4.38 | 2.35 | 6.00 | .73 |
| 1930 | John H. Carr Fund, John H. Carr, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 75.00 | 2 1/2 | 2.56 | 1.75 | 3.50 | .81 |
| 1931 | Washington Veazey Fund, Washington Veazey, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 500.00 | 2 1/2 | 42.03 | 12.28 | | 54.31 |
| 1931 | Daniel J. Smith Fund, Daniel J. Smith, donor | Rockingham Nat'l Bank, Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 200.00 | 1 1/2 | 7.24 | 3.11 | | 10.35 |
| 1933 | Minnie J. Walch Fund, Minnie J. Walch, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 1/2 | 5.27 | 2.38 | 2.00 | 5.65 |
| 1934 | Mary A. C. Bean Fund, Mary A. C. Bean, donor | N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 2.20 | 1.59 | .60 | 3.19 |
| 1936 | Mary E. Weeks Fund, Mary E. Weeks, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 520.00 | 2 1/2 | 53.51 | 12.98 | 15.14 | 51.35 |
| 1937 | Clarence Pike Fund, Clarence Pike, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exe- ter, N. H. | 150.00 | 2 | 10.88 | 3.22 | .50 | 13.60 |
| 1937 | Thomas E. Fortier Fund, Adm. Thomas E. Fortier Est., donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exe- ter, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 | 6.04 | 4.14 | 6.00 | 4.18 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|------|---|--|--------|----|------|-------|-------|------|
| 1939 | Aaron Ellis Fund, Cora E. Ellis, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 3.35 | 2.33 | 2.50 | 3.18 |
| 1940 | Glycart and Hook Fund, Evelyn Glycart, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | 2.09 | 2.05 | 2.50 | 1.64 |
| 1940 | Nellie G. Lake Fund, Nellie G. Lake, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | .57 | 2.01 | 2.00 | .58 |
| 1940 | Sarah M. Smith Fund, Sarah M. Smith, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Savings Dept., Exeter, N. H. | 200.00 | 2 | 6.35 | 4.14 | 3.00 | 7.49 |
| 1940 | Clarence Rowe Fund, Annie E. Knight Sargent, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 3.64 | 2.33 | 4.00 | 1.97 |
| 1933 | Brentwood Town Library Fund, Marietta Morrill, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 500.00 | 2½ | | 11.34 | 11.34 | |
| 1941 | Frederick G. Sykes Fund, Frederick G. Sykes, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H. | 100.00 | 2½ | 4.17 | 2.35 | 5.00 | 1.52 |
| 1944 | Charles Reid Fund, Mabel Snyder, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | 75.00 | 2 | | | | 1.37 |
| 1944 | Prescott and Snyder Fund, Mabel Snyder, donor | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | | | | 1.83 |
| 1944 | Charles B. Snyder Fund, Mabel and Harold Snyder, donors | Exeter Banking Co., Exeter, N. H. | 100.00 | 2 | | | | 1.83 |
| 1944 | Rufus E. Geaves Fund, Rufus E. Geaves donor. | Exeter Banking Co. | 500.00 | 2 | | | | .83 |

FREEMAN M. SMITH,
JOHN W. STEVENS,
JOHN F. SWASEY,
Trustees of Trust Funds,
Brentwood, N. H.

I have this day, Feb. 21, 1945, examined the accounts of Freeman M. Smith, Chairman of the Trustees of Trust Funds of the Town of Brentwood, and found them correctly cast.
JOHN J. MAGNUSSON,
Auditor.

Treasurer's Report of Brentwood Library

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

DR.

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Cash on hand | \$.06 |
| Received from Town Treasurer | 75.00 |
| Received from Marietta Morrill Fund | 12.61 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 87.67 |

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|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Paid for Books | \$ 87.09 |
| Paid for Postage and Money Orders | .51 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 87.60 |
| Balance, Cash on Hand | .07 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 87.67 |
| Rent for housing library | \$ 20.00 |
| Salary, Librarian | 30.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 50.00 |

BOOKS ADDED TO BRENTWOOD TOWN LIBRARY, INCLUDING STATE AID—1944

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Also The Hills | Frances P. Keyes |
| Thunderhead | Mary O'Hara |
| Dunnybrook | Gladys Hastings Carroll |
| So Little Time | John P. Marquand |
| The Apostle | Sholem Asch |
| When Hearts Are Light Again | Emilie Loring |
| Bradshaws of Harniss | Joseph P. Lincoln |
| Man With The Monocle | Garnett Weston |
| Tree Grows In Brooklyn | Betty Smith |
| Indigo | Christine Weston |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Dragonwyck | Anya Seton |
| Walsh Girls | Elizabeth Janeway |
| Sue Barton Supt. Nurses | Boylston |
| He Married a Doctor | Baldwin |
| Who Killed the Doctor? | Miles Burton |
| Chicken Every Sunday | Rosemary Taylor |
| The Signpost | E. A. Robertson |
| We Followed Our Hearts to Hollywood | Kimbrough |
| We Took To The Woods | Louise D. Rich |
| Our Way Down East | Graham |
| Aces Wild at Golden Eagle | Gregory |
| More Than Conqueror | Grace L. Hill |
| The Heart Does Not Forget | Colver |
| Avalanche | Kay Boyle |
| Bombardier | Harriet Lent |
| Paris Underground | Etta Shiber |
| Look To The Mountain | Cannon |
| Little Locksmith | Hatherway |
| Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep | Bemelmans |
| Human Comedy | Wm. Saroyan |
| Case Crooked Candle | Gardner |
| Fourways | Alice Ross Colver |
| Give Us This Day | Taber |
| Dr. Whitney's Secretary | Walker |
| Leave Her To Heaven | Ben Ames Williams |
| Circle C. Moves In | Rider |
| Lonely Trail | Gregory |
| Office Wife | Baldwin |
| Case Buried Clock | Gardner |
| Fair Stood Wind for France | Bates |
| Razor's Edge | W. Somerset Maugham |
| Heart's Haven | Bassett |
| I Never Left Home | Bob Hope |
| Time Singing Birds | Grace L. Hill |
| Lost Island | Hall |
| Victoria Grandolet | Bellaman |
| Horsethief Creek | Lomax |
| Winter Wheat | Walker |
| Community Nurse | Hancock |
| Earth and High Heaven | Graham |

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|--|------------------|
| Bugles In The Heart | Larrimore |
| How Dear To My Heart | Kimbrough |
| Keepers of Faith | Loring |
| Green Years | A. J. Cronin |
| Jalna | La Roche |
| George Washington Carver | Rackham Holt |
| I Served on Bataan | Lieut. Redmon |
| Chiangs of China | Clark |
| Martha Washington | Alice C. Desmond |
| Yankee Lawyer | Tutt |
| Eisenhower, Man and Soldier | Miller |
| Yankee From Olympus | Catherine Bowen |
| Heart of New Hampshire | Weygandt |
| Under Cover | Carlson |
| Clue In Patchwork Quilt | Sutton |
| When Key Turned | F. K. Judd |
| Tommy and His Dog Hurry | Ferris |
| Puritan Adventure | Lenski |
| Fred and Brown Beaver Ride the River | Tousey |
| Smiling Hill Farm | Mason |
| Hello, The Boat | Crawford |
| Clarinda | Duncombe |
| A Bee In His Bonnet | Christoffersen |
| Silver for Gen. Washington | Meadowcroft |
| By Wagon and Flatboat | Meadowcroft |
| The Level Land | Dola de Jong |
| When Esther Was A Little Girl | White |
| Lassie Come Home | Eric Knight |
| Chico of the Andes | Von Hagen |
| Mary Poppins Opens The Door | Travers |
| Stephen Foster and His Little Dog Tray | Wheeler |
| John of Pudding Lane | Hunt |
| Ben Franklin, Printer's Boy | Stevenson |
| Secret of Pooduck Island | Alfred Noyes |
| Linda Marsh | De Leeuw |
| The Pup Himself | Dennis |
| Big Lonely Dog | Harris |
| Quest Missing Map | Drew |
| Nancy Blake, Copywriter | Anderson |
| Santa Claus in Santa Land | Trott |

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
SCHOOL DISTRICT
of
BRENTWOOD, N. H.
FOR THE YEAR 1943-44

Officers of Brentwood School District 1944-45

School Board

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Mary Marcotte | Term Expires 1945 |
| John F. Swasey, Chairman | Term Expires 1946 |
| Stanley G. Small, Secretary | Term Expires 1947 |

Superintendent of Schools

Jonathan A. Osgood, M. Ed.

Treasurer

George P. Nye

Moderator

John Stevens

Clerk

John H. Dudley

Auditor

LeRoy M. Lake

Truant Officer and Enumerator

Hollis Pevear

School Nurse

Constance Cooper, R. N.

School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Brentwood, N. H., qualified to vote in distirct affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March 1945, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to continue the present arrangement of educating the seventh and eighth grade pupils at Exeter and Kingston.

10. To see if the district wishes to elect a committee of three to work with the School Board to study the possibilities of acquiring a site and constructing a consolidated eight grade school house.

11. To see if the district will vote to instruct the Consolidated School Committee and School Board to acquire a suitable site and building plans for a Central School and make appropriation for the same.

12. To see what action the district wishes to take to make two three-grade schools possible.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Brentwood this 16th day of February, 1945.

MARY MARCOTTE,
STANLEY SMALL,
JOHN SWASEY,

School Board of Brentwood.

School Board Budget

FROM JULY 1, 1945 TO JUNE 30, 1946

| | | | |
|--|----|----------|----------|
| Teachers' salaries | | \$ | 2,650.00 |
| Textbooks | | | 110.00 |
| Scholars' Supplies | | | 135.00 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | | | 5.00 |
| Other Expenses of Instruction | | | 10.00 |
| Janitor Service | | | 90.00 |
| Fuel | | | 200.00 |
| Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies | | | 75.00 |
| Minor Repairs and Expenses | | | 250.00 |
| Health Supervision (Medical Inspection) | | | 140.00 |
| Transportation of Pupils | | | 3,000.00 |
| Payment of Elementary Tuitions | | | 1,600.00 |
| Other Special Activities | | | 20.00 |
| <hr/> | | | |
| Total for support of schools | | \$ | 8,285.00 |
| Deduct State Aid | \$ | 3,000.00 | |
| Deduct Dog Tax | | 150.00 | |
| Deduct Balance June 30, 1945 (Estimate) | | 500.00 | 3,650.00 |
| <hr/> | | | |
| Balance to raise by district tax for support of schools | | \$ | 4,635.00 |
| Salaries of district officers | \$ | 106.00 | |
| Superintendent's excess salary | | 95.00 | |
| Truant officer, school census | | 15.00 | |
| Expenses of administration | | 50.00 | |
| High School tuitions | | 2,800.00 | |
| Per Capita Tax | | 200.00 | 3,266.00 |
| <hr/> | | | |
| Grand total to raise by district tax for all schools | | \$ | 7,901.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MARCOTTE,
JOHN F. SWASEY,
STANLEY G. SMALL,

School Board of Brentwood.

Brentwood Financial Report

JULY 1, 1943 TO JUNE 30, 1944

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1943 | \$ 1,338.91 |
| Equalization fund from State | 2,400.27 |
| Income from Local Taxation: | |
| Support of elementary schools | 4,217.31 |
| Payment of high school and academy tuition | 2,515.60 |
| Salaries of district officers | 88.00 |
| Payment of per capita tax | 202.00 |
| Other obligations imposed by law or established by district | 136.78 |
| From Sources Other Than Taxation: | |
| Sale of Property—Epping \$5.97; Kingston \$19.55 (Supplies) | 25.52 |
| Total receipts | \$ 10,924.39 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Administration | |
| Salaries of district officers: | |
| School Board: | |
| Miriam Dodge | \$20.00 |
| Mary Marcotte | 20.00 |
| John Swasey | 20.00 |
| Clerk: John H. Dudley | 2.00 |
| Moderator: Ray Pike | 2.00 |
| Treasurer: George Nye | 20.00 |
| Auditor: LeRoy M. Lake (2 years) | 4.00 |
| Superintendent's Excess salary | 76.19 |
| Truant officer and school census | 15.00 |
| Expenses of administration | 45.59 |

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL REPORT

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Teachers' Salaries:

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|
| Mrs. Gladys Chick | 6.00 | |
| Mrs. Florence Turgeon | 994.00 | |
| Mrs. Dorothea Rockwell | 1,025.60 | |
| Mrs. Josephine Kemp | 6.00 | |
| Mrs. Florence Batchelder | 30.00 | |
| Miss Jean Beaton | 112.25 | |
| | <hr/> | 2,173.85 |

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Text books | 76.68 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 110.98 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | 2.16 |
| Other expenses of instruction | 10.53 |

Janitors:

| | | | |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Donald Brackett | \$ | 36.00 | |
| Conrad Magnusson | | 36.00 | |
| Cleaning Schools | | 19.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ | 91.00 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Fuel | 181.50 |
| Water, light, janitors' supplies | 79.65 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 139.64 |
| Medical inspection | 115.44 |
| Transportation of pupils | 2,625.00 |
| High school and academy tuition | 2,515.60 |
| Elementary school tuition | 1,020.00 |
| Other special activities | 4.47 |
| Tax for state wide supervision | 202.00 |
| Insurance and other fixed charges | 5.00 |
| Cash on hand June 30, 1944 | 1,346.11 |

\$ 10,924.39

MARY MARCOTTE,
JOHN F. SWASEY,
STANLEY G. SMALL,
School Board of Brentwood.

Report of Treasurer of School District FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1944

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1943 | \$ 1,338.91 |
| Received from Selectmen | 6,946.86 |
| Dog Tax | 212.83 |
| Received from State Treasurer | 2,400.27 |
| Received from other sources | 25.52 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year | \$ 10,924.39 |
| Less School Board orders paid | 9,578.28 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1944 | \$ 1,346.11 |

July 10, 1944

GEORGE P. NYE,
District Treasurer.

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Brentwood, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944 and find them correct in all respects.

July 8, 1944

LEROY M. LAKE,
Auditor.

Superintendent's Report

February 1, 1945.

To the School Board and Citizens of Brentwood:

It is my privilege to submit my third annual report as Superintendent of your schools. The report includes a brief discussion of our objectives, a report of teachers employed, some of the more important physical changes and improvements in the buildings, a brief discussion of the pupils' achievements, a music and health report.

Education in America continues despite the war which has caused a tremendous shortage of teachers and the curtailment of school supplies and equipment. Many people are sponsoring extravagant ideas as to what the postwar world and postwar education will be like. Although there will undoubtedly be some changes in organization of school units, curricula and methods of instruction, the fundamental principles of "Educating Youth for Citizenship" will remain the same. We continue to hold as our general objectives the well known Cardinal Principles of Education, namely: Health, Command of Fundamental Processes, Worthy Home Membership, Vocation, Citizenship, Worthy Use of Leisure Time and Ethical Character.

Our conception of **Training for Citizenship** will necessarily be broadened in that "Youths and adults are now faced with the requirement that they must be **world** citizens, their education must include an understanding of all people everywhere, and they must become expert in the ability to get along with others who possess different philosophies of life—When the economy and society change direction or enlarge in scope, education, too, must change and enlarge for otherwise youth will be trained in the historical rather than modern ways of life.

"We need an enlargement of the scope of education for youth to enable boys and girls to meet the demands of this new dynamic air age in which the whole world has become smaller than were the thirteen American colonies when public education first began."*

Participation in the War Effort:

During the three years since Pearl Harbor, American boys and girls have saved more than \$1,170,000,000 through purchase of war stamps and bonds. The children of Brentwood have, through their own efforts and those of their parents and teachers certainly done their part. Through the continuation of this good work, children have an opportunity to develop strong habits of thrift, civic responsibility and knowledge of war finance. They have also helped to further the war effort by collections of waste paper and milkweed pods. The latter project, sponsored by the government this past fall has been for the purpose of accumulating milkweed floss to replace "kapok"—a material used in life belts and aviators' suits and which is no longer available because it came from what is now "enemy held territory."

Teachers:

The employment and retention of qualified teachers is one of the major problems now involved in the further maintenance of our objectives. Of the nation's 900,000 teachers, over one-third are new to their jobs. In this supervisory union of forty-three regular teachers, it has been necessary to employ fifty-three in the past two years. The chief reason for their leaving our area has been to secure more remunerative positions elsewhere.

Mrs. Dorothea Rockwell of Atkinson is continuing her good work of last year at the Crawley Falls school. Mrs. Rockwell has made a fine "come-back" after so many years away from the teaching profession.

*Air-Age Education Committee—American Association of School Administrators, November 1944.

At the South Road school we were unable to secure a regular teacher to begin the school year but were fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. Josephine Kemp of Kingston who did fine work there for several weeks. Between the time that Mrs. Kemp found it necessary to stop teaching and the time that we were able to secure a regular teacher, we had the advantage of the services of Mrs. Dorothy Sargent of North Danville. Early in November, Mrs. Vivian Lancaster of Waverly, Massachusetts, who had had several years of teaching experience in Brockton, Massachusetts was elected as a regular teacher. Mrs. Lancaster displayed much courage and patriotism by returning to the teaching profession after being away from it for several years.

New modern textbooks have been purchased to replace obsolete and worn books as finances would permit. The reading program which was started in the primary grades two years ago, is being continued in the intermediate grades. Reading is being stressed in both schools as it is felt that many problems encountered in other subjects are caused by inability to read well. Standardized mental ability and achievement tests allow for better diagnosis of pupil difficulties. Brentwood children are generally working up to their ability and compare favorable with pupils in other districts.

School Buildings:

Minor repairs, necessary to keep the buildings in good repair, have been made. Some previously planned work has not been done because of inability to get labor. New blackboard slate has been ordered for the South Road school to replace some of the old artificial blackboard material.

The following pupils, as well as their parents, should be given recognition for the perfect attendance records of the pupils during the school year 1943-1944.

Marjorie Stevens—Grade 5, South Road School.

John Dodge—Grade 5, Crawley Falls School.

The following pupils were attending school in Exeter or Kingston from Brentwood (September 1944).

| Robinson Seminary | Grade | Bakie School, Kingston | Grade |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Colcord, Constance | 7 | Stevens, Richard | 8 |
| Hanshaw, Phyllis | 7 | | |
| Johnson, Phyllis J. | 7 | Exeter High School | |
| Marcotte, Elaine | 7 | Almon, Kenneth G. | 8 |
| Marcotte, Lorraine M. | 7 | Lyford, Lawrence E. | 8 |
| Prescott, June E. | 7 | Bouchard, Paul | 7 |
| Yeany, JoAnn M. | 7 | Cutter, Harry D. | 7 |
| Dodge, Deborah | 8 | Gove, Sidney B. | 7 |
| Lake, Dorothy E. | 8 | MacDonald, Kenneth R. | 7 |
| Marcotte, Katherine | 8 | McGonagle, Albert L. | 7 |
| Otis, Nellie B. | 8 | Stevens, Hershal | 7 |
| Shangraw, Elaine R. | 8 | Stevens, Walter | 7 |
| McGonagle, Evelyn | 8 | Carlson, Ronald | 7 |
| Prescott, Roberta | 8 | | |

High School Pupils

Sanborn Seminary

1945

Moul, Alice
Prescott, Gordon
Rock, Elizabeth

1946

Brackett, Donald
O'Connor, Dorothea
Sultaire, Harold

1947

Bouchard, Shirley
Cutter, Caroline
Farmer, Luella

1948

Bartlett, William
Moul, Irene
Smith, Barbara

Exeter High School

1947

Burt, Edward M.
Dorr, Leslie G.
Hanshaw, Alan N.
Hanshaw, Clyde F.

Robinson Seminary

1945

Savage, Virginia W.

1946

Yeany, Doris J.

1947

Kavli, Ruth J.
Lake, Ruth M.
Lake, Shirley M.

1948

Fuller, Betty Lou
Graves, Jean

Reports which have recently been received from Robinson Seminary, Exeter High School and the Bakie School indicate that Brentwood seventh and eighth grade pupils are, as a whole, doing very satisfactory work in those schools.

At Robinson Seminary, "on the honor roll for having been neither absent nor tardy the first term (1944-1945) are Deborah Dodge, Nellie Otis, Roberta Prescott and Doris Yeany. On the honor roll for scholarship during the first quarter are Jean Graves and Roberta Prescott."

At Exeter High School, Kenneth Almon and Walter Stevens are doing unusually well. The concensus of opinion of pupils and parents seems to remain very favorable toward the present arrangement of educating the seventh and eighth grade pupils in Exeter and Kingston.

STATISTICAL DATA

| | 1940 1941 | 1941 1942 | 1942 1943 | 1943 1944 | Sept. 1944 |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Number pupils enrolled | 82 | 84 | 83 | 56 | 44 |
| Average membership | 74.6 | 74.8 | 69 | 46.4 | |
| Average % attendance | 95.2 | 94.8 | 93.4 | 94.3 | |
| State average % attendance | | 94.7 | 92.94 | | |
| No. pupils in High School Sept. | | 31 | 27 | 31 | 23 |
| Visits by School Nurse | 84 | 72 | 40 | 36 | |
| Visits by School | | | | | |
| Board Members | 17 | 14 | 5 | 6 | |
| Visits by Superintendent | 106 | 70 | 82 | 52 | |
| Visits by others | 198 | 145 | 69 | 59 | |

To stimulate thought on an important problem which must be solved in the future, I wish to quote from a recent National Education Association publication pertaining to Compulsory Military Training:

"Seldom have the American people faced an issue in national policy which was freighted with greater possibilities for good or ill than one which confronts them today. That issue is whether at the close of this war we should inaugurate a program of compulsory military training, in-

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL REPORT

COMPARATIVE PER PUPIL COSTS

| | Current Cost of Public Education Per \$1,000 Equalized Valuation | | Per Pupil Cost of Public Elem. Schools | | High School Instruction | |
|---------------------------|--|---------|--|---------|----------------------------|---------|
| | 1941-42 | 1942-43 | 1941-42 | 1942-43 | 1942-43 | 1943-44 |
| Brentwood | \$17.30 | \$16.82 | \$78.13 | \$83.54 | \$ | \$ |
| Danville | 19.91 | 19.64 | 62.43 | 56.58 | | |
| Epping | 19.93 | 21.46 | 50.97 | 55.26 | 63.80 | 76.66 |
| Fremont | 13.88 | 14.56 | 64.21 | 70.39 | | |
| Kingston | 14.35 | 16.11 | 70.11 | 79.58 | | |
| Newmarket | 17.54 | 19.67 | 65.75 | 78.03 | 55.33 | 51.12 |
| Sandown | 19.17 | 15.53 | 94.71 | 84.37 | | |
| South Hampton | 16.82 | 17.57 | 84.42 | 99.19 | | |
| Media for the State | | 13.38 | 86.74 | 94.25 | Average | |
| Raymond | 20.47 | 21.99 | 83.21 | 74.46 | 100.78 | 107.46 |
| Hampton | 7.25 | 7.04 | 95.64 | 87.36 | 114.12 | 106.77 |
| Exeter | 7.09 | 7.19 | 80.24 | 86.23 | 88.46 | 104.81 |
| | | | | | 141.55 | 129.54 |

introduce some form of indirect training for military duty such as camping or a year of national service, or merely continue in the postwar period, with no **essential change**, the usual program of limited military training.

"The issue is not only crucial but important. Already it has reached the halls of Congress, and is being discussed by many government officials and military leaders—including President Roosevelt and General Marshall. It is the theme of magazine articles, editorials and sermons. It is becoming a frequent topic of general conversation. This is as it should be in a democracy. The people should set themselves with steadfast purpose to weigh the evidence and to choose intelligently the path we are to follow."*

Your attention is directed to attached reports of the school nurse, Mrs. Constance Cooper and of the Music Supervisor, Miss Marion Foster who replaced Miss Jean Beaton. Miss Beaton resigned after years of faithful service in this Union to accept a position as Supervisor of Music in Jewett City, Connecticut. Miss Foster of Dark Harbor, Maine, is a graduate of The New England Conservatory of Music and has had several years of successful experience in Maine and Connecticut.

In conclusion, I again wish to express my appreciation to the School Board, teachers, parents, pupils and other citizens for their continued cooperation in the accomplishment of our work.

Respectfully submitted,

JONATHAN A. OSGOOD,
Superintendent of Schools.

*Willard E. Givens, Executive Secretary, National Education Association Research Bulletin, December, 1944.

Report On Music For Brentwood

To the Superintendent and School Board of Brentwood, New Hampshire, I hereby submit the annual report of the music department.

Public School Music aims to create a love and appreciation of the beautiful in music; to so fill the lives of children with the best music of the ages as to offset any tendency toward the sordid and tawdry. It is taught also to provide a worthwhile means of using and enjoying leisure time and to develop a desire in children to play upon some instrument; to make continued use of their singing voices, to furnish a socializing influence by providing that unity of spirit which may come to groups of people singing or playing together. Music strives to give the child an experience which shall serve as an adequate background for the future artist or intelligent listener.

The aims of the music classes in the Brentwood schools are ear-training, rhythm, correct posture, breathing and phrasing, tone and intonation—to cure all so-called monotones; good enunciation, attention, concentration, sight-reading—to coordinate eye, mind and muscles used in singing and the ear, and thereby learn to read music understandingly.

The classes are organized by grouping the children from the first three grades, the others being in a single music class. In this way, the pupils in the upper grades may help those in the lower grades to acquire new things in the knowledge of music.

In grades four, five and six, the ability to sing songs in two parts is developed.

A victrola and a library of good records would be valuable to the South Road school. The Crowley Falls school is fortunate to have acquired a second hand victrola.

Respectfully submitted,

Jan. 12, 1945

MARION W. FOSTER.

Health Supervision

To the Superintendent of Schools and School Board of Brentwood, N. H.:

Of the 46 pupils examined during the school year 1943-1944, the following cases were found and treatment was given as indicated:

| | No. Cases | No. Receiving Treatment | No. Corrections |
|------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Underweight | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Defective vision | 1 | | 1 |
| Defective teeth | 7 | | 4 |
| Enlarged glands | 3 | 3 | |
| Measles | 1 | | |
| Pedicuiosis | 2 | | |
| Skin diseases | 9 | | |

Hot lunches served daily to thirty-three pupils were made possible by the Parent-Teacher Association.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSTANCE COOPER, R. N.

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRENTWOOD, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1944**

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth | Name of Child | Sex | Living | No. | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|-----|--------|-----|---------------------|-------------------------|
| June 11 1944 | Brentwood | Richard | M | L | 1st | Lucien Pappin | Elizabeth Iona Woodward |
| June 25 | Exeter | Sandra Ann | F | L | 2nd | George Vernon Hicks | Natalie Abbott |
| Nov. 16 | Exeter | Mary Ellen | F | L | 1st | George Percival Nye | Mary Theresa Conley |
| Nov. 29 | Exeter | Alfred Arthur | M | L | 2nd | Alfred Royal Harmon | Virginia Helen Bryant |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
HELEN R. PIKE, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRENTWOOD, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1944

| Date 1944 | Place of Marriage | Name of Groom and Bride | Age Groom | Age Bride | Names of Parents | Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| July 7 | Seabrook, N. H. | William Week Sellers Amy Cogswell | 31 | W | Chester James Sellers Carrie Marston Sellers Basil P. Cogswell Lillian M. Snow | H. Hawthorne Benedict, Minister, Seabrook, N. H. |
| June 10 | Epping | Elwin Joseph Marcotte Gertrude Madeline Moul | 22 | W | Frank C. Marcotte Mary Dominique John Moul Madeline Page | Rev. J. E. Vaccarest, Roman Catholic Priest, Epping, N. H. |
| May 27 | Exeter, N. H. | Theodore Stevens Magnusson Ruth Frances Cail | 22 | W | John J. Magnusson Hope Stevens Murdock J. Cail | Rev. Howard P. Weatherbee, Baptist Minister, Exeter, N. H. |
| Sept. 8 | Raymond, N. H. | Joseph Arthur Proulx Emily Jennie Rand | 27 | W | Elsie Catherine Eldridge Ephrem C. Proulx Emma M. Bouchard Forrest E. Rand Flora Brown | Rev. J. E. Vaccarest, Roman Catholic Priest, Epping, N. H. |
| Oct. 23 | Exeter, N. H. | Bernard Albert Lamb Mildred Mae Peck | 24 | W | Edwin B. Lamb Hattie F. Abbott Arnold S. Peck Sarah E. Healey | Rev. William A. Flewelling, Clergyman, Exeter, N. H. |
| Oct. 21 | Exeter, N. H. | Charles Marshall Garland Shirley Phyllis Fuller | 18 | W | Charles H. Garland Marion L. Whitten Roscoe C. Fuller Mildred Richardson | Rev. Howard P. Weatherbee, Baptist Minister, Exeter, N. H. |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HELEN R. PIKE, Town Clerk.

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRENTWOOD, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1944**

| Date of Death 1944 | Place of Death | Name of Deceased | | | Age | | | Place of Birth | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|--------------------------|----------------------|------------------|----|----|----------------------|---|---|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | | Y | M | D | Y | M | D | | | |
| Jan. 23 | Brentwood | 89 | 1 | 22 | Granville Monroe | | | North Bridgewater | William Monroe | Unknown |
| Mar. 17 | Brentwood | 79 | | 19 | George James Woods | | | New York City | John Woods | Anne J. Kelly |
| Mar. 11 | Brentwood | 76 | 2 | 10 | Charles Suryzian | | | Poland | Joseph Suryzian | Interia ? |
| Apr. 2 | Brentwood | 66 | 7 | 13 | Henry H. Clark | | | Rye, N. H. | Levi C. Clark | Mary Hutchins |
| Mar. 25 | *Provincetown, Mass. | 72 | 11 | 8 | George Russell Rowe | | | Brentwood | George R. Rowe | Betsy Jane Gorden |
| May 8 | *Lynn, Mass. | 64 | 4 | 9 | Dr. Ezra Barker Pike | | | Northwood, N. H. | Ezra B. Pike | Elizabeth A. Mitchell |
| Oct. 8 | *Augusta, Maine. | 60 | 4 | 6 | Ethel M. Osgood | | | — | Hearth | Ella Orne |

*Brought here for burial.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HELEN R. PIKE, Town Clerk.

ANOTHER ENEMY TO CONQUER

Here is a home front fight that everyone can get into. Last year in this State 558 brush and forest fires burned over 4,648 acres of land, of which 2,788 acres were valuable timber and young growth. With available manpower the lowest of any year since the war started, you can help to keep this loss down by permitting these fires from starting.

Keep in mind these simple rules:

1. Always get a permit from your forest fire warden before starting any fires in the open. Burning under certain conditions is permitted.
2. Never burn unless you have enough help to control your fire—a permit does not excuse you of negligence in case it gets away.
3. Always report any uncontrolled fire promptly to your forest fire warden. Minutes lost are acres lost.
4. Be especially careful with cigarettes, matches and pipes. Smokers caused most of our fires.
5. Never leave a fire unless it is dead out. You can't feel safe while there is a spark left.

KEEP NEW HAMPSHIRE GREEN